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BEFORE THE POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20268-0001

COMPETITIVE PRODUCT PRICES
BILATERAL AGREEMENT BETWEEN UNITED STATES POSTAL
SERVICE AND ROYAL MAIL GROUP, LTD (CP2015-1)
NEGOTIATED SERVICE AGREEMENT

Docket No. CP2015-1

UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE MOTION FOR TEMPORARY RELIEF CONCERNING A COMPETITIVE MULTI-SERVICE AGREEMENT WITH A FOREIGN POSTAL OPERATOR

(September 23, 2015)

The agreement that is the subject of this docket was originally scheduled to expire on September 30, 2015.¹ The Postal Service is currently negotiating with the foreign postal operator to extend the bilateral agreement that is the subject of the docket for another full year. In the meantime, a modification has been sent to the foreign postal operator to extend the current agreement until November 15, 2015, but it has not yet been signed.

In the meantime, the Postal Service respectfully requests that the Commission approve a brief extension of the agreement that is the subject of this docket, to maintain continuity of pricing and other terms and conditions of the agreement. The Postal Service requests the Commission continue to list the agreement that is the subject of this docket on the Mail Classification Schedule through November 15, 2015, to give effect to the pending extension likely to be executed by the Postal Service and Royal

¹ Order No. 2225, Order Adding Negotiated Service Agreement with Royal Mail Group, Ltd. to the Competitive Product List, Docket No. CP2015-1, October 24, 2014.

Mail. The Postal Service plans to file the modification and any successor agreement with the Commission as soon as possible.

Respectfully submitted,

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